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THE LABORS OF OUR SERVANTS—have been continued as usual; but of the results, though decidedly encouraging, we cannot in the present number attempt any account. Our Secretary has spent his time, of late, in this part of New England, preaching usually three times on the Sabbath, delivering occasional lectures during the week, circulating our publications, and making collections for the Society. Kindly received wherever he has been, he has found the public inclined to hear on the subject of peace with increasing interest and favor; and the result of his observation and experience leaves no room to doubt, that a right and full presentation of this cause through the land, would, under God, be attended with cheering success. From the Rev. Mr. Foster we have no direct communication of a recent date; but from persons of intelligence in some of the places he has visited, we learn that he has met a kind reception, and produced a very favorable impression in behalf of our cause. From some of his letters received months ago, and detailing the progress and prospects of our cause in the interior of New York, we should be glad, but have not space, to quote.

OSBERLIN PEACE SOCIETY.—Through our friend and co-worker, AMASA WALKER, Esq., we have just received, but too late for insertion in our present number, an account of this Society, organized by his influence, and promising much, we trust, to our cause at the West. Mr. W., having recently travelled some 4000 miles in the Western States, assures us that our cause is steadily gaining ground there.

FOREIGN ITEMS.

We acknowledge, with pleasure, the receipt of letters from the Secretaries of the London Peace Society, and from John Lee, L. L. D., to our Secretary and our General Agent; but we regret our inability to insert them in our present number. We received long ago copies of English papers, giving a pretty full and interesting report of the peace and temperance festival held in July, at Hartwell Park, the country seat of Dr. Lee. That of the preceding year is remembered with much pleasure by our friends who were present; and we rejoice to find the excellent proprietor of that princely residence continuing so popular and agreeable a mode of usefulness. The Herald of Peace, for July, did not reach us till September; but from its well-filled pages we hope, hereafter, to glean facts and arguments that will be both valuable and interesting to our readers. It is one of the best numbers we have seen, and shows that our friends in England are at work with zeal and success.

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